

Local merchants who are dubious about the approach of Christmas holidays for business reasons should not become despondent—rum fleets are reported along the coast

Tonight fair and colder in east portion; frost in south portion. Tuesday fair, warmer in east

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MINE EXPLOSION CLAIMS VICTIMS; OTHERS INJURED

Only Two Deaths Reported in Illinois Mine Blast Officials Claim.

THIRTEEN INJURED

Toll List Kept Low in Mine Disaster in Largest Mine in World.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—Two men lost their lives and 13 were burned and sent to a hospital in an explosion thought to be due to gas combustion in the Orient mine of the Chicago, Wilmington and Franklin Coal Co., one of the largest coal mines in the world near West Frankfort, Ill., this morning. This information came to the company's offices here this morning from Joseph Lewis, superintendent of the mine.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—Twenty-five men are unaccounted for out of a total of 922 after an explosion this morning in the Chicago-Wilmington-Franklin Coal Co.'s mine near West Frankfort, Illinois, the largest mine in the state and possibly in the world, according to advices to George B. Harrington, president of the company. Seven men are reported burned, two seriously.

The explosion probably was caused by gas and a great disaster probably was averted by the barrier pillar system in use in the mine, Mr. Harrington said. Advices received over the company's private wire indicated that the explosion occurred in the northwest corner of the mine, probably about a mile from the shaft.

A state mine rescue car has been dispatched from Benton, Illinois.

The mine holds the world record for the number of tons hoisted in eight hours, and it is believed that 1,100 men were in the mine shortly before the blast.

HERRIN, Ill., Nov. 26.—Five men badly burned have been taken from the Chicago-Wilmington-Franklin coal mine and 60 are presumed to be entombed at the entrance where the explosion occurred.

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Nov. 26.—Eleven men badly burned have been taken from the Orient mine from here where an explosion occurred this morning. At 11:15 o'clock 60 men were still unaccounted for and about 35 of these are supposed to be in the mine behind the fire.

Arrest Johnson County Men Who Stopped Election

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Fred Hunt and Charles Shore, deputy sheriffs of Johnson county, were arrested at Tishomingo Thursday, according to advices received here by the attorney general's department, in the state's initial action against persons who interfered or attempted to interfere with the October special election.

The men were taken into custody on evidence gathered by M. W. Kinzie, an assistant attorney general, who now is conducting an investigation in the county and who probably will assist in the prosecution of those in that section arrested in connection with election interference.

The trial of the two deputies, on charges of illegal election interference, was set for November 30.

Announcement was made by the attorney-general's department that election inquiries in Jefferson and Delaware counties are expected to lead to arrests in a few days.

Lynx Tabby Proud Possession of Two Ada Business Men

Refuting allegations that there is no caty business in connection with their possession of a wild lynx tabby, Joe Cole and Jim Couch were preparing to open a zoo in Jim Couch's business establishment.

The lynx cat, late from the wilds of New Mexico, is being displayed at Couch's business establishment to substantiate mysterious rumors that the ferocious animal was captured in the jungles of Pontotoc county.

As a result of rumors that the lynx had been captured in Pontotoc county, several hunters are alleged to have started cleaning rifles and otherwise preparing for an invasion of the wilds of Pontotoc county.

Cole and Couch, who confidentially admit that the cat is a gift of O. B. Lee of Corone, N. M., have assumed the paternity intent of caring for the animal, which is yet to be recovered.

Ada At Fever Pitch For Turkey Day Game

With only a few short days before the annual pigskin feast here between the East Central Tigers and the Southeastern Savages, Ada is beginning to find itself waiting the Turkey Day event in a fever of excitement.

Out at East Central College where the waiting is most felt, faculty and students as well as the active combatants in this looked-for occasion are preparing every detail to make the event one of the gala events of gridiron history for East Central.

As the time for the first whistle out at Park Field draws near, Coach Milam of the Tiger Crew is

rushing his men through the final period of preparedness for the event. With the addition of Johnson and Fleming, who have been on the injured list, the team stands in good running condition. Potts, who suffered a slight injury in the Oklahoma City College game was given a rest in the Alva game and will be ready and fit for the battle Thursday. No other injuries to Tiger players stand in the way of the team being in perfect condition for the Durant invasion.

From down Durant way come the report that the town will move up to Ada for a day and witness her warriors in action against the home tribe. Pep organizations will accompany the invading squad to the scene of conflict and Durant supporters of the team will also make the pilgrimage to Ada.

Following is the press report of Durant's intended invasion of Ada:

DURANT.—The special to Ada for the Turkey day football game between the Southeastern Savages and the Ada Tigers has been secured, and now all that awaits is for the fireman to ring the bell and the engineer to open up his throttle and the crowd will be on their way to witness the clinching of the Oklahoma championship. The committee having in charge the arrangements for the trip, announced that the train would leave at eight o'clock next Thursday morning, arriving in Ada at eleven. This change was made so that the team could have a rest after arriving. The game will be called at two o'clock and the special will leave for the return trip at five o'clock.

While only 125 have signed up, it is thought that at least two hundred people will be aboard when the train pulls out. Special rooting stunts are being devised and the rooters are going to "strut their stuff," as one of the boys said this morning. The Hopettes are go-

ing unanimously, and they are going to show the Adaites just what a real, honest-to-goodness girls' boosting club is. With the Ada game won, no power can take from Southeastern the honor of state champions. She has won sufficient games to entitle her to this credit.

If any Durantites are contemplating making the trip in their cars, they should forego this, for reports say that the roads are in bad condition and it will take eight or ten hours to make the trip. Better board the special and have the fun.

CREW OF RUNNER THREATENS GUARD

Captured Rum-Runner Opens Fire on Guard Boat at Sea.

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The crew of the rum-runner Tomako after her capture yesterday about six miles off the Jersey shore, threatened coast guard boarding officers and attempted a dash to sea after firing her machine guns at the cutters Seneca and Lexington.

According to the report, Lieut. L. W. Perkins of the coast guards was sent aboard the Tomako after her capture. The Lexington and Seneca started back to New York with the Tomako trailing along in the rear. Suddenly it was alleged the machine guns were trained on Perkins and the Tomako headed eastward. She opened fire when the cutters pursued her. These additional facts were brought out in an official report made today to the collector of the port who was investigating the alleged British registry of the schooner whose seizure it was reported from London might be delivered later.

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TRAPP REFUSES PARDON TO MUSKOGEE NEGRO

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 26.—Gov. M. E. Trapp today officially recalled the pardon issued by Gov. J. C. Walton to Xenophon Jones, wealthy negro slayer from Muskogee.

"Xenophon Jones is in the penitentiary. I issued the requisition that sent him there. He will stay," the governor said.

The executive's action was taken upon recommendation of George Short, attorney general, who advised that by recalling the pardon before it was attested by the secretary of state, the entire matter of Jones' release would be ended. R. A. Sneed, secretary of state, had refused to attest the order.

A hearing in state supreme court on Jones' application for a writ of mandamus to compel Secretary State Sneed to attest the purported Walton pardon set for 10 o'clock today was continued until the same hour Friday.

Jess Phillips, former deputy warden of the state penitentiary, mentioned as an alleged participant in the negotiations for obtaining the pardon, today denied any connection with the affair in testimony before the house investigation committee.

SMITH ON WAR RECORD CHARGED AGAINST FORBES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Papers said by war department officials show that at one time Charles R. Forbes, former director of the veteran's bureau, was dropped from the rolls of the army as a deserter were turned over to the service veterans' committee today by the department.

The record sent to the committee at its request was also said to show that later Forbes was apprehended, served out his term of enlistment and discharged without having been brought to trial.

Family Burned to Death

(By the Associated Press)

CONFLUENCE, Penn., Nov. 26.—Samuel Roscoe, his wife and seven children were burned to death early today when their home on a hill half a mile from the village was destroyed. All the bodies have been recovered.

NOTICE MASON

Special communication of Ada Lodge No. 119 tonight at 7 o'clock for work in Master degree. All are urged to come out for this work tonight and visiting brothers are welcome.—M. O. Matthews, W. M.

Around World Flight Called Ambitious Adventure Of U.S.



One of the five planes of similar design chosen for the round-the-world flight to be undertaken by the Army Air Service next March. The map shows the official route chosen.

Only the formal approval of some of the foreign governments whose territory will be traversed remains to be gained to complete the details of the round-the-world flight which will be begun by the U. S. Army Air Service next March.

Five biplanes, now virtually completed in the shops of the Douglas Aircraft Co., at Santa Monica, Calif., will be used. They have 50-foot wing spread and are powered with Liberty 12-cylinder motors of 400 horsepower.

The purpose of the flight is to demonstrate that airplanes have

reached the stage of development where they can be operated

safely and efficiently far away from their base.

FIVE INDICTED FROM PACKING HOUSE STRIKE

State Progress

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 26.—An echo of the disturbed conditions that accompanied the strike of packing house workers in January, 1922, was heard today when five indictments were returned by a district court grand jury charging riot were made public.

The defendants are O. T. Hatchett, Raymond Gibson, Ridge Gardner, C. A. Barnett and John Doe. They are alleged to have attacked A. J. Suggs, a packing house employee.

Several civic organizations appealed to Gov. J. B. A. Robertson to place the city under martial law as a result of strike disorders that culminated in the lynching of a negro alleged to have been a strike breaker. Delegations from the organizations in a conference with the governor charged that the police under J. C. Walton then mayor of Oklahoma City, were aiding the strikers. The governor refused their request but the state intervened in the prosecution of the men arrested for the lynching and all were given penitentiary sentences.

Norman—Construction of new \$100,000 engineering building at University of Oklahoma under way.

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Sand Springs—Contract let for two-mile paving project west of

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ADA BIBLE CLASS IN LEAD OVER ELK CITY

A. Linschield spoke to his greatest class of Bible school students Sunday morning at the Harris hotel, when 158 reported to the summons to attend the men's class of the First Christian church.

Vinita—Seneca Indian school installs electricity.

Henryetta—Largest single shipment of coal, valued at \$10,000, sent to southwestern dealers.

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It was indicated that wholesale arrests might be ordered by the attorney general of persons charged with obstructing the election, if the court holds it legal.

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MONEY ANALYSIS LEAGUE OUTLINE

Financial Experts Figure Cut Financial Situation in Europe.

(By the Associated Press)

GENEVA, Nov. 26.—In view of present plans to hasten a settlement of the reparations problem, with the cooperation, if possible, of the United States, special interest attaches to a review of the financial position of 14 countries, mostly European, together with certain remarks on the German reparation question, contained in a memorandum issued by the League of Nations.

The report shows that in most countries a retrenchment policy has been adopted and considerable savings have been affected, although the ever-increasing burden of the public debt has in many cases swallowed up what may have been saved by cutting down the administration. The development of the public debt has been compared with the changes in the price level, i.e., the nominal amount of the debt has been divided by the wholesale price index number, and in this way reduced to pre-war level.

When this is done it is seen that the French debt has risen to three times the amount of the pre-war debt, the British debt to seven times the amount, and the American debt to nearly 13 times the amount of the pre-war debt.

At the same time it is pointed out that before the war France had, per head of her population, a much higher debt than Great Britain or the United States and also that, in these two last named countries, debt has considerably increased the public debt. It is rather remarkable, says the report, that the two countries in which the

The Red Lock

A Tale of the Flatwoods

By DAVID ANDERSON
Author of
The Blue Moon

Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

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The young man bent an amazed look upon his aged friend, lost in wonder at his marvelous woodcraft.

"I go a look at the man that made 'em," was his slow answer, "while he laid b'hind that log a-watchin' me straighten up the fence. I don't think he knows I saw 'im, but I did—it was the feller that stirred up all that rumpus at the schoolhouse night b'fore last."

The old man threw away his sassafras shoot; an eager seriousness crossed his face.

"That wus Black Bogus."

The younger man stared.

"No!"

"Hit were."

The woodsman fell suddenly thoughtful; glanced away across the hollow toward where the double trail led through the woods. The old man studied him curiously. It may be each was thinking the same thought—that strange resemblance had had so puzzled them both—but neither let fall any inkling of it to the other.

"All know 'im." Uncle Nick went on after a moment. "He's a friend of Legge Belden's—an' he thinks maybe he's harbarin' up thar with 'im."

He jerked his thumb up the hollow toward where a section of the warped roof of Legge Belden's squallid cabin barely protruded above the bushes; seemed to weigh his next words before letting them fall.

"Anyhow, I thought I'd p'int m' nose up the erick an' kinda throw an eye on Legge's cabin t' see if e is."

"An' if e is?" the other questioned, having caught the curious look.

The caution of a lifetime in the woods prompted the old hunter to look guardedly in every direction before answering.

"Don't let on you know it"—he came a step nearer—"but Al says Belden b'longs t' the same gang o' cutthroats down Vincennes way that Black Bogus does; an' he thinks more'n likely they're plottin' t' crack o' Sime Col-in's safe."

The hardness that had come at the mountain girl's warning crept again into the woodsman's eyes, but he made no comment. The other, knowing him well, did not seem to expect any.

"I low y'u neen' be told they ain't neither one got much time fr you, after what happened at the post office an' at the schoolhouse—an' they're the kind that won't stay licked, an' the kind that strikes in the dark."

Jack picked up the heavy shotgun from where he had laid it aside when about to rush upon his old friend, thoughtfully drew a dead grass blade out from between the hammer and the lock, but offered no word. The old man again bent his furtive look upon him and went on.

"Black Bogus—they's fifty sheriffs a-lookin' fr him, an' a standin' reward of five thousand dollars, dead or alive—"

The young man flinched, looked keenly at the other.

"Uncle Nick—y'u wouldn't—"

"No, I wouldn't," the old man replied with instant readiness to the half-implied imputation. "I've shot men in my time, I never sold one."

He stepped around the great sugar maple, motioned for the other to follow, and stole away along the brow of the bluff, quite obviously in serious earnest.

The young woodsman fell into the

GILBERT EXCELS IN ROLE OF PICTURESQUE CAMEO KIRBY

John Gilbert, than whom no finer actor is on the screen, has a role in his latest William Fox production, "Cameo Kirby," which will make a strong appeal to the admirers of this distinguished actor.

As a square gambler of the dash- ing Jack Hamlin type, plying his trade on the Mississippi river steam-boats in the golden age of river traffic from Cairo to New Orleans, "Cameo Kirby" is one of the most romantic figures in motion.

Written originally as a stage play by Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson, it was produced with great success at the Hackett Theatre, New York City, with Dustin Farnum in the title role. Nat Goodwin also played the role. For many seasons "Cameo Kirby" was one of the best money-making road shows of its time and in its screen form has all the elements that made for its popularity on the speaking stage. It will be seen at the American Theatre Monday.

All the romance and glamor of the picturesqueness old South, form the background of an absorbing drama in which a straight shooting gambler exposes a gambling "shark" kills him in a duel and restores to an old Southern family the plantation which the crooked gambler has "won" in a poker game.

"Cameo Kirby" is a role which affords Gilbert the best opportunity he has had since "Monte Cristo," a swashbuckling, cynical soldier-of-

fort. Steeped in the caution that came from much living alone, he said nothing, but it was the one thing that had brought him to the woods that morning—to have a look at Legge Belden's cabin.

Reaching a point, at length, a short distance below where the suspected cabin squatted, they crept down the bed of a dry wash-out and through some thickets of briar and hazel until they lay within less than a hundred yards of its crude and mud daubed walls.

There seemed to be no one about except the comely mountain girl, who came to the open door a time or two to look out, as if she expected some one—some one that she would rather not see, to judge by the troubled expression of her face—a face whose tragic sadness had so impressed the woodsman at that strained and hurried interview.

It was late in the forenoon when, above them on the hillside, they heard



A Man Emerged From the Swaying Bushes and Stole Toward the Back Door of the Cabin.

the swish of a brush swinging back into place after having been dragged aside. Uncle Nick held up a cautious finger, and they crouched lower in the cover.

There came the snap of a dry stick; a man emerged from the swaying bushes and stole toward the back door of the cabin, passing within a dozen steps of where they lay. There could be no mistaking the powerful form and truculent face with its stubble of beard—it was Black Bogus.

CHAPTER XII

Ashes of the Past.

It was light enough that the red-roofed cottage saw of the young preacher—breakfast by candle light; supper the same; an hour of twilight with Texie on the rustic seat at Whispering spring. The rest of the day he spent in the study at the parsonage, where, at the insistence of the venerable widow, he lunched. He proved to be a very studious man. It was a rare thing indeed to see him in daylight when his peering eyes were not poring over a book, with another usually tucked under his arm.

Banker Colvin was a man out of whom life had squeezed most of the finer sensibilities and coined them into gold. The dreams of boyhood, the romance of youth, the glory of manhood—gone—bargained away for a price.

Sitting there at his gloomy breakfast table, a disappointed, weary old man, his soul cried out to rue the bargain;

to trade back with fate. But none

had learned the lesson better than he that fate trades not back; that there

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might-have-been.

The forenoon he spent in the small room, busy with his papers, or in meeting people who came to pay him money—or borrow it.

In the afternoon he tried to take a nap, but so long had his mind been set to its daily grind that it now ran on in spite of him—a sort of mental engine whose clutch could no longer be released.

Rest; a quiet nap—they were no longer his. He had sold them—part

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the privilege to pocket interest money; to collect rents; to write his check. Cheated again. The devil never loses in a trade.

It would be a hopeless task to trace his thoughts as he thrashed about over the bed and fidgeted the hours away.

His business; the farms; his squandered years all passed in review. And what was left? To sit by a musty window and pile up wealth—for somebody else to spend. He couldn't spend it himself. He didn't know how. He had toiled so hard to make it that he had never learned how to spend it—an infinitely finer thing to know.

Sleep—he was never wider awake in his life. He floundered off the bed at last, less rested than when he lay down and stormed out to the porch—only to stand drumming a restless tattoo upon a post with his long bony fingers.

The voices of Texie and the preacher were borne to him from the rustic sent under the giant maple at Whispering spring. He mildly wondered at it; reflected that the genial day had probably for once lured the young man from his studies, and sauntered back to his easy chair in the sitting room.

As he sat there, with the pulse and purr of the wonderful May day borne in through the open door, his mind groping back over the distant past, a memory held him in far-fung retrospect. Minutes long it held him; until it smoothed the lines on his face and softened his hard old eyes.

He rose from the chair at last; paced back and forth across the floor a time or two; went into the small west room to his safe, unlocked it; with a noticeable effort swung the heavy door open; fumbled inside and drew out a large envelope of stout manila paper; unsealed; fumbled deeper and brought out a small locker of gold; closed the safe, without locking it, and went back to his easy chair.

A long time he sat, with his elbow propped up on the chair-arm, his chin in his palm; finally with fingers that trembled, he pressed in the catch of the locker. It sprang open. There were two pictures inside—a woman and a man. But the face of the woman was not the face over the mantel in the sitting room; it was the face of the woman beneath the draped flag in the cabin under the crimson

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last inch of his gaunt height; stretched up his arms; filled his chest with the dew-washed air; expelled it with an explosive exclamation that scared a couple of blackbirds in the branches above; and the cage and battlements of his grim old face smoothed themselves out into an expression as near as they could come to a smile—"an' I am a well man—fit as a fiddle."

"But, father, you don't think of goin' to the office t'day?"

"Aw, I reckon y'u'd all r'ar up if I did."

"I'm so glad—and won't it be nice t' have y'u at home all day ag'in? I wish y'u never would go back t' that horrid ol' office ag'in."

The old man put his arm around her and patted her shoulder.

"You're a good gal, Texie. I dunno what y'u ol' father would do without y'u, now that—that."

He stopped; let his eyes stray up the river and far into the east, all flushed and spangled with the close coming of the sun; the girl bent her head; the preacher stood fumbling the shirt in his hand.

"Mebbe I will quit the office one o' these days."

His eyes were still lost in the east; he spoke as if his heart was there. His daughter raised her head and searched his face.

"You alw'y say that, but y'u never do."

"I dunno, better walk out than be carried out, they say, an' I've come almighty nigh that very thing a time 'r two—hump higher"—he brought his eyes back out of the east, noticed the hurt on his daughter's face and patted her shoulder.

The sitting-room door opened, and the portly form of the housekeeper appeared on the porch.

"There's Mis' Curry," the girl cried, seizing her father's arm and inviting the preacher with her eyes. "Breakfast's ready, and our bouquet not half finished."

She was the life of the little group that assembled a few minutes later in the gloomy old dining-room, with the candles flickering over its bare walls and waging a losing battle with the shadows lurking in the corners. Only for her, the scene and setting might have been somber enough—the stark walls, stiff old furniture, decorations and ornamentation severely in keeping with the taste of a day long gone; the grim gray figure that presided at the head of the table.

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rambler—what it had been in her girlhood. And the face of the man in the locket was not the upstanding soldier above the sword and spurs, in the uniform of a colonel of Mounted Rangers; it was the face of Simon Colvin—what it had been in the days of his young manhood.

The old man gazed at the beautiful, highborn face of the woman in the locket; again and again laid it to his grim old lips, held it close against his breast—suddenly, with a gasp, snapped the locket shut.

A mighty spasm of pain had gripped his side. He clutched it with his hands; fought for breath. When it

"Brownie," the girl repeated after a time, her eyes turning back from the river to the piously pensive face of the preacher, "would y'u care t' see 'er?"

"It would give me the greatest pleasure," was his answer, in the studied and faultless though somewhat stilted diction of the period.

"I could talk y'u t' death about 'er."

"I should die happy," he answered.

The girl was so artless and unspoiled that the flattery, trite as it was, half pleased her. The native cheerfulness, subdued for a moment by thoughts of her hapless brother, brightened again in her eyes. She threw her arm about her father, dragged him up out of the chair and led the way to the barn.

Brownie, a beautiful dark sorrel, with a single small patch of white in her forehead, hearing the girl's voice, came trotting up out of the pasture lot—the same through which Jack had trailed the unknown prowler the night before. A tall, clean-limbed gelding, bright bay, with one white hind foot, followed her almost up to the gate, where he stood back and half jealously watched the girl caress his mate.

"Come, Rex," the girl called, reaching out her hand and coaxing the tall bay. But the horse kept his distance. It was only after the two men had drawn back a few steps that he came up to the gate and put his nose against her face.

"Do you ride, Mr. Hopkins?" she called over her shoulder.

"Not especially well," he answered, "though I do like a good horse. You ride, of course?"



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City Briefs

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Several new students enrolled in the college today.

Russell Battery Co., Willard Service and Sales. Phone 140. 8-61m

Second hand gas stoves bought and sold. Gay Electric Co. 11-9-1mo

Ed Alexander returned from a short business trip to Tulsa.

Do not look at White's lunch at Waits Drug Store if you do not want to get hungry. 11-25-2t

Don't forget the Palm Garden. Phone 193. 11-7-tf

Mrs. B. F. Stephens is reported ill at her home on West 17th.

Bargain prices on everything Tuesday. Woman's Exchange. 11-26-1t*

Ancient rivals meet on the field of battle Thursday. Eat a big dinner and enjoy the carnage. 11-26-2t

Mimes. M. F. Bayless and Charles Goodby of Stratford were shopping in Ada today.

Free: \$10 set of attachments with every Apex Cleaner. Rollow Hardware Co. Phone for demonstration. 11-22-4t

Try and look at the lunch White is serving at Waits Drug Store. 11-25-2t

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wyatt and family spent the week end in Oklahoma City with relatives.

We have a few new White Sewing machines left, which we are closing out at prices which will attract you. O. E. Parker, Furniture. One door east of Postoffice. 11-25-6t

The Tigers are sharpening their teeth with the intention of tearing the Savages to pieces Thursday. Ball Park 2:30. 11-26-1t

W. W. O'Neal returned Sunday from a sojourn of several weeks in Oklahoma City.

Removal sale, reduced prices on everything, Tuesday only. Woman's Exchange. 11-26-2t*

If you want service, call us. We are always in a hurry. Oliver-Nettles Phone 732. 11-23-4t*

Mayor W. H. Fisher, who was reported on the sick list Saturday is able to be up and about today.

We will call for chickens. Call Ada Poultry & Egg Co. 10-4-1mo

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Shade trees are being set out along the side walks of the Presbyterian church.

All Choctaw Gins pay the market price for pecans and peanuts. 11-16-13t

Presiding Elder Crutchfield will hold quarterly conference at Vassos this evening and will go to Roff Tuesday for the same purpose.

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We drain and wash your crank case free. Thee Square Deal Service and Filling Station. 10-3-tf

CHOCTAW MIXED FEED
Meat and Hulls mixed in bags. Produces MORE MILK and butter. Ada Cotton Oil Mill. 11-16-13t

Mr. and Mrs. George Wacker of Pauls Valley spent Sunday in Ada looking over the town prior to taking up residence here and taking over the business interests of the Wacker Variety store.

Miss Sallie Claiborne of Cookeville, Tennessee, arrived in Ada Sunday and will be employed in Mount's Cash Store. She is a niece of Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Faust, 130 West Nineteenth.

We buy second hand furniture, paying best prices. Phone 438. Shelton Furniture Co. 11-9-tf

Exide Battery Sales and Service Phone 1004. Ada Service & Filling station. 9-5-tf

Read all the ads all the time.

Manson Hawkins, Duplex pressman for the News, was taken suddenly ill at his home on East Ninth Sunday. He was rushed to the Ada Hospital and is apparently out of danger. He expects to be back on the job Tuesday or Wednesday.

Ralph Clark and family have moved to Ada from Tulsa to take advantage of the unequalled educational advantages here. Mr. Clark has not decided what business he will engage in, but expects to be a part of the business life of the community at a not distant date.

COTTONSEED HULLS have feeding value equal to PRAIRIE HAY. Mix the two and you have an ideal STOCK FOOD. This mixture of MEAL & HULLS, correctly mixed by machinery, in proportion of 20 lbs Meal to 80 lbs Hulls is now put up in 100 lb. bags. CHOCTAW MIXED FEED. TRADE SEED FOR IT. ADA COTTON OIL MILL.

Don't fail to see the Tigers pick the feathers from the Chieftains Thanksgiving Day. 2:30 o'clock. 11-26-1t

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"Slim" Shannon is in Hickory and Roff today telling the world what a good publication The Ada News is.

Who sells Federal Tires. The Square Deal. 11-12-1m

Miss Ina Brumley left Sunday for her school at Red Oak, in the eastern part of the county. The school was to open today.

Alcohol for your radiator. Oliver & Nettles. 11-4-1m

We buy second hand furniture.—Shelton Furniture Co., phone 438.

Lloyd McCluskey went to his school at Brookhaven, near Allen, Sunday to be ready to open his term today.

Dr. Ella D. Coltrane, Osteopath. 8-7-1mo

Call your friend at the Palm Garden. Phone 193. 11-7-tf

Mrs. M. L. Lewis and son, Miles, Jr., have gone to Dallas to visit their parents while her husband is in Rochester, Minn.

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Sell your pecans and peanuts to the Nut House, next to count scales. T. M. Corbin, buyer. 11-16-13t

Miss Vera Holloway has gone to Kansas City where she will remain for some time with her brother and sister, Clyde Holloway and wife.

The Palm Garden. Phone 193. 11-7-tf

Red Ball Filling Station open day and night, 307 W. Main. Phone 544-14-1m.

Jackie Wright, who is operating a linotype at Wewoka, was in Sunday to spend the week end at home.

Motor Sales Co., parts and accessories for all cars. 4-11-1f

Pleating—Mrs. Alta Binn Allen, 231 West 14th. Phone 186-W. 10-31-1mo*

Do not feed RAW cottonseed. Exchange for Choctaw MIXED feed. Ada Cotton Oil Mill. 11-16-13t

Crank case not only drained but washed free. A-1 Filling Station. 10-3-t

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hughes and daughter Glen Earl motored over from McAlester Saturday, returning home Sunday afternoon. Mr. Hughes is now engaged in the hardware business at McAlester.

ATTENTION COTTON PLANTERS

It is a well known fact that COTTONSEED MEAL carries the highest PROTEIN & FAT contents of any known feed stuff. ---

Shorthand and typewriting taught by graduate teacher. Realistic tuition. Phone 183 or 111 for information. 10-28-1mo

W. E. Pitt reports that a good crowd attended his open house at the greenhouse Sunday afternoon, but the affair was cut short by the rain which came up late in the afternoon.

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OBITUARY

W. L. LEDBETTER

News has been received in Ada announcing the death of W. L. Ledbetter, whose home was about five miles south of Ada, at the Talihina State Sanitarium, last night at 11 o'clock. The body will be brought here and is expected to arrive some time tonight.

Mr. Ledbetter was a well known farmer and was widely known. He was suffering from tuberculosis and was in the state hospital for treatment. The funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

"THE FIGHTING BLADE" A PICTURE NOBODY SHOULD MISS

Against King George III, of England, we avenged our wrath and won our freedom. In 1775, that was in Merrick, England, an out-

More than a hundred years pre-

vailed people, anxious to have a voice in government, rebelled

against the British crown in 1642, this. And in the five years' war that followed before the monarch, Charles I, was vanquished and the

foundations for England's present popular government were laid, there were many daring exploits

not many more spectacular than

those of Karl Kerstenbrook, Flemish

soldier of fortune who came to

England to avenge the death of his

sister and remained to become a

powerful ally to Oliver Cromwell

whose path to success he helped to

pave by the destruction of Staver-

sham castle.

The screen has pictured histori-

cal romance before, but not until

John S. Robertson filmed "The

Fighting Blade" was the epochal

Cromwellian era touched upon. And

in selecting this subject Mr. Robert-

son has not only contributed worthily

to the screen's historical assoca-

tions but he has given it a

production that stands on a par

with the biggest and best, and has

given the public an entertainment

that is destined to remain one of

the most memorable. Richard Barth-

mess is the star of "The Fighting

Blade," a First National picture

which McSwain Theatre pre-

sented in this city for the first

time yesterday and which will be

featured the entire week. He plays

the title role, portraying the re-

markable Kerstenbrook in man-

ner every bit as admirable. "The

Fighting Blade!" That is his char-

acter. Most feared of all duellists

of his day, supreme, superb. Audac-

ious, dashing, daring in the face

of death; chivalry, tenderness and

humility mark his course with wo-

men. And Barthmess interprets

his varying moods with rare skill.

We doubt he has a superior as a

romantic actor.

It is a worthy commentary that

Barthmess, for the sake of a

realistic portrayal of the role went

without a hair-cut for months in

order to wear it as was the fash-

ion with the Roundheads, as Oliver

Cromwell's followers were called.

It was this style of cropping their

hair that caused them to be called

Round-heads, as distinguished from

the Cavaliers who wore theirs in long

curls.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

ADMIT THE MASTER:—Behold I stand at the door and knock; if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me. He that has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith.—Rev. 3.

EMMA GOLDMAN DISILLUSIONED.

One of the latest contributions to current literature is a book by Emma Goldman, who for many years preached anarchy, revolution and class hatred in the United States. She talked too much during the war and was finally deported to Russia, her native country. She describes her fond anticipation of finding the new Russia a heaven on earth, where the hated capitalists did not exist and where the laboring elements were supreme.

However, she soon found that czars and capitalists were not the only tyrants. The Lenin and Trotsky regime was worse than that of the old order, she writes, and the laboring classes, instead of ruling were held in a state of virtual slavery and so terrorized that they dared not protest. All classes were supposed to be supplied with the same rations but the rulers were faring sumptuously on the best to be had while other classes were on the verge of starvation.

The bolsheviks profess to be advocates of schools, but Emma Goldman found that the most revolting conditions existed in all except a few maintained to be shown to American travelers. The children in these schools were pampered and given the best of everything so that the simple minded Americans would go home thinking that all were like them.

She found graft everywhere and honesty extremely rare. She pronounces the whole thing a ghastly tragedy founded on graft and hypocrisy.

Emma is a woman who can stand a great deal but two years of Russian life was too strong, even for her, and she emigrated to a safer locality, for the bolsheviks will not tolerate free speech and she never knew how to bridle her tongue.

If there ever was a case of poetic justice, the case of Emma Goldman is one. She devoted the greater part of her life to advocating the overthrow of the American government, the government which sheltered her when forced to flee from oppression in Russia in her early life. She preached the doctrine which the bolsheviks professed to put into operation in Russia with such fervor that she was at last exiled to her land of dreams which resulted in such a painful awakening for her. She has often expressed a yearning to return to the United States, but the hand that fed her and which she bit savagely has not been extended in welcome and she has ample time in which to consider her past and future.

Great Britain is now in the throes of a national election for members of parliament. At the last election the Liberal party was split into two factions headed by Lloyd-George and Asquith, respectively, and the result was that neither got very far. Now that they have made peace and are speaking from the same platforms the outcome is rather uncertain. Premier Baldwin has not been in office a sufficient length of time to make much of a record and the election will afford the people their first opportunity to pass judgment on him. The people of the nation change their opinions about as often as those of America. During the latter half of last century the voters swung back and forth between Gladstone and Lord Salisbury. First one and then the other occupied the post of prime minister, each holding the office four times for periods of various lengths.

Jack Walton continues his regular Saturday night serenade of the people of Oklahoma, but his fiddle, banjo or whatever his instrument is, has only one string, hence his lack of success in securing an encore. He just can't get his audience worked up to his own pitch of frenzy. No one ever did care much for one string music, anyway. To get down to the literal facts in the case Walton's pardon record which carries such names as Ira Williams and Xenophon Jones makes the public somewhat skeptical about his professed devotion to the law. His act in pardoning election board officials of Tulsa county who were given penitentiary sentences for crooked work certainly does not recommend him as a man who respects the voice of justice. He should hunt another issue or put another string on his fiddle before next Saturday night rolls around.

Walton's former chief of police is an unlucky guy. Here in less than two weeks after his former boss is stripped of power he is given a sentence of a year in the penitentiary by an El Reno jury on a charge of hammering a man over the head with a gun. If his trial had come sooner he would have produced a pardon in a day or two after the trial and then dismissed thoughts of such disagreeable things as penitentiaries from his mind.

The best way honest men can learn to understand one another is by closer contact. Association dispels suspicion and brings harmony, as a general rule. However, when an honest man comes into contact with a crook the situation is reversed although the honest man is likely to gain some experience.

"COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE"

The Fourth
of July
ExpressNEW BOOKS SHOULD
BE GIVEN CHANCE,
SAYS PROF. WOODBRITISH GOLFERS PLAY
WITH OLD STYLE BALLS

The teacher of literature in the high school sometimes wishes to supplement the fiction obtainable from his frequently inadequate library. Also he may feel that an essay on some topic of contemporary interest, if it be of sufficient literary merit, may occasionally be more appealing to the pupil of high school age than the standard models of classic fame. Whatever the field, there is an easily available source whose possibilities should not be overlooked. That source is the periodical magazine. The purpose of this department is to help the student of literature, whether a teacher or not, to narrow into a manageable tract a field which is entirely too extensive for any one person to harvest completely, particularly since the worthless tares are in a time-wasting majority.

A contemporary novel that promises to be worth the discriminating student's while is one entitled "The Midlander," beginning in the October issue of "The Ladies' Home Journal."

The name of Booth Tarkington, prefixed to any literary work, immediately arrests the eye of the thoughtful reader. Tarkington is a versatile writer. But his versatility, like that of H. G. Wells, fails to subtract aught of color from his work in any specific field; which is another way of saying that he is not a literary jack-of-all-trades, but seemingly a master of all he has tried.

One reason why we shall be interested in the novel in question is that, as is indicated in the title, it deals with persons and places of the Middle West. This section is bound to come into its own in literature. It is significant that the scene of Willa Cather's "One of Ours," the Pulitzer prize story of 1922, is laid largely in Nebraska. In both these novels the treatment of the people is sympathetic. Cycles like Sinclair Lewis will continue for a while, in moods of intellectual dyspepsia, to deplete us in such novels as "Main Street" and "Babbitt." And the knowing reader of the misrepresented section will continue to recognize therein the small town of his own childhood. But it was not to be expected that the star of economic empire should move westward and leave its inevitable literary satellite permanently in the East.

Tarkington's story also has distinct literary merit. The character delineation of the first chapter reminds us that artistic verbal portrayal is not a thing of the past, in spite of the average reader's impatience with anything that defies the beginning of the action. The writer need not have made an apology for that first chapter as he brought it to a close. He properly wishes that the characters that we are to follow through the pages of the book, shall not be pale types but people as real as our next-door neighbors. And it need not surprise the reader if he sees somewhere in those pages his own face reflected.

The novels of Scott, Dickens, Eliot, and Stevenson have not decreased in importance, but some teachers feel that it is time to sacrifice a few of them for the sake of giving the pupil a closer contact of our own times.

their recent vain efforts to overthrow the Tsankoff government and set up a Soviet republic. Asked why he was conspicuous in a movement aimed at the denial of property rights, Dimoff said: "There are other rights to be considered beside my own."

Millionaire Leads Communists
(By the Associated Press)

FERDINAND, Bulgaria.—Katcho Dimoff, millionaire dealer in gasoline and lubricating oils, was the leader of the local communists in

Try a News Want Ad for results.

After illness recuperate, take SCOTT'S EMULSION

HILL'S ACTS AT ONCE
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Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine gives quicker relief than any other cold or la grippe remedy. Tablets disintegrate in 10 seconds. Effectiveness proved in millions of cases. Demand red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait. All druggists—30 cents.

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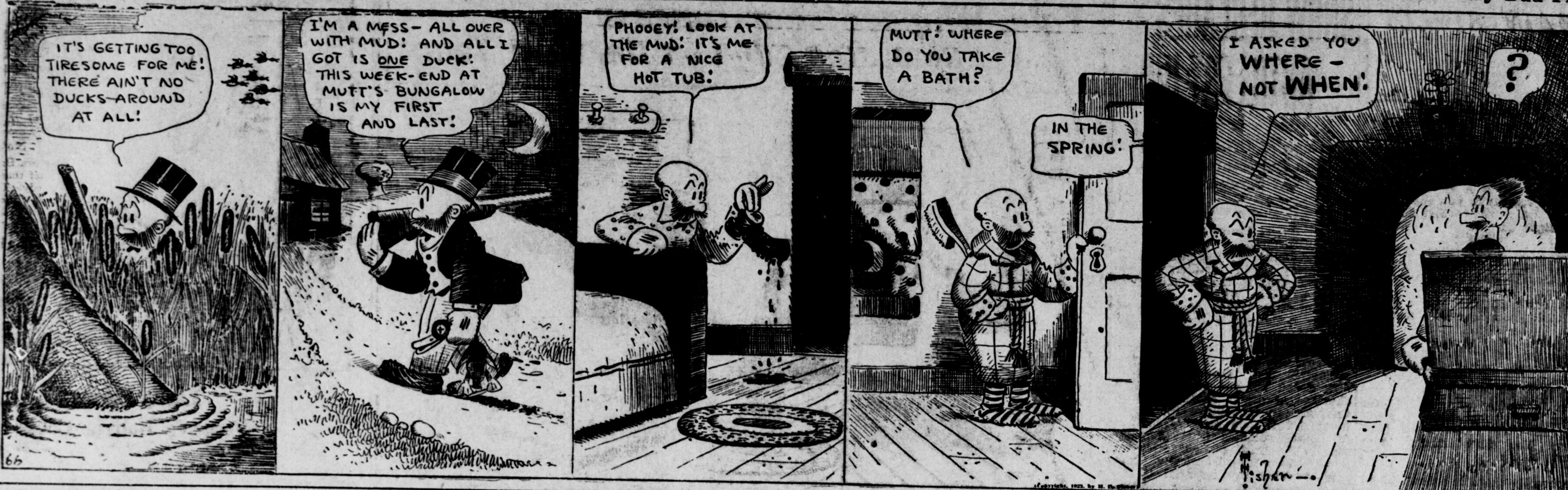
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219 West Main

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By Bud Fisher

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WE DELIVER



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Good Looking Overcoats \$25 up



The price of advertising under this head is 1¢ cents a word a day, with a minimum charge of 25 cents. If run by the month, the rate is \$1.25 a line. Except for those who run regular monthly advertising accounts, all classified advertisements must be paid for when given in.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice 6 room house. Close in. S. Jacobson. 11-22-31*

FOR RENT—One 5-room house on East side. Phone 767. 11 21 51*

FOR RENT—Nice, 6-room house, close in. S. Jacobson. 11-26-31*

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. Phone 1008W. 11-26-6*

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms and garage. Phone 837. 11-26-2*

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping apartment 230 East 14th. Phone 612-W. 11-25-21*

FOR RENT—Two nice bed rooms, Phone 119 after 6 p.m. Mrs. R. O. Lawrence. 11-23-1m0

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment and bed rooms. 117 East 14th. 10-26-1m0

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms at 322 North Francis, three blocks from College. Phone 586 after 7 p.m. 11-25-21*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Show case, desk and other fixtures. Woman's Exchange. 11-26-21*

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, bargain. Phone 100 or 602-W. 11-25-31*

FOR SALE—Beautiful gas logs cheap, also small gas heater. Telephone 922-W. Mrs. Wicks. 11-25-41*

FOR SALE—1923 model Ford Coupe. See David Greenberg at the Model. 11-25-31*

FOR SALE—Modern 5 room house on West 13th Street. See M. W. Ligon or call 144. 11-22-61*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Cabinet Radio Outfit; something new and worth investigation; would trade in on Ford car. Phone 1050W. after 6 o'clock. 11-26-2*

WANTED

WANTED—Work by women. 501 North Townsend. 11-26-2*

WANTED—Place to room and board, near college. Call Ruth Martin. 1028-R. 11-25-21*

WANTED—Large manufactory wants neatly appearing men. Real opportunity. Apply at Shelton Furniture Co. 11-26-6*

WANTED TO RENT—5 room modern house, south or east part of city, with garage and barn. Phone 732 or 991-W. 11-25-31*

WANTED—Second-hand furniture; we pay the top price. Shelton's Furniture Co. Phone 438. 6-18-1m0

WANTED—Your mattress work; cotton or feathers. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Factory, 400 East Twelfth

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Five-room modern house, south or east part of city, with garage and barn. Phone 732 or 991-W.

WANTED

CREAM for the manufacture of butter. Highest possible price paid—quick service.

Ada Ice Cream & Creamery Co.

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOMS With or without board at 607 E. Main. Private entrance. Garage for rent also. Phone 620-W. 11-25-41*

PHONE 665—Suits cleaned and pressed, called for and delivered. SEYBOLD Clean. 75c

ers in with ZEB'S Barber Shop. 11-7-1m0*

Buy it—rent it—sell it—find it with a NEWS want ad.

LOST

LOST—Goodyear tire, tube and rim between Ada and Francis, return to Salvation Army workers at Frisco Hotel. 11-23-31*

LOST—One book contemporary literature title "New Voices" by Miss Wilkinson. Name on fly leaf. O. M. Kimbrough, finder please call 1047-W. Reward. 11-25-21*

WANTED

Hauskeeper, unincumbered.

Phone 987 or 874.

AWKWARD REPORT

(These reports are furnished by the C. F. Avery Cotton Exchange W. & P. Bank building.)

(Today's Market)

New York Cotton

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	35.32	35.72	35.30	35.60
Jan.	34.88	35.12	34.84	34.98
Mar.	35.10	35.45	35.05	35.21

New York spots 36.15.

New Orleans Cotton

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	34.47	34.98	34.47	34.88
Jan.	34.75	35.06	34.94	34.94
Mar.	34.87	35.25	34.85	35.10

New Orleans spots 34.75.

Local market 31.50.

YESTERDAY'S MARKET

New York Markets

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	35.30	35.40	35.00	35.25
Jan.	34.70	34.90	34.54	34.73
Mar.	35.00	35.17	34.85	34.97

New York Spots—35.80.

New Orleans Cotton

	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	34.52	34.65	34.35	34.46
Jan.	34.58	34.77	34.50	34.60
Mar.	34.75	34.95	34.69	34.76

New Orleans Spots—34.50.

Local market 31.00 to 33.35.

Ada Produce Market

(Furnished by Ada Hides and Produce Market.)

Hens, per lb. 10c

Fryers, per lb. 10c

No. 1 turkeys, per lb. 20c

No. 2 turkeys, per lb. 12c

Old tom turkeys, per lb. 15c

Ducks, per lb. 10c

Geeese, per lb. 7c

Roosters, per lb. 10c

Pullets, per lb. 15c

Eggs, per doz. 30c

Central heating systems for orange groves in California are being developed with prospects of success against frost.

Read all the ads all the time.

SCOUT MASTERS AND PATROL LEADERS TO HIKE

Ada scout masters and patrol leaders will hike to the Boy Scout Lodge Wednesday evening. This is a part of the course being given to boy leaders. Each Saturday and Sunday the scout leaders meet for woodcraft and campcraft work. Attendance has been exceptionally good. All scoutmasters and patrol leaders, scribes will please bring the following articles. Two blankets or comforts, tin pan, cup, spoon, knife and fork, 10c worth of good steak, 5 slices of bacon, one potato, one onion, one cup of flour, small portion of lard, small portion of sugar, knife and axe. If you are coming to stay for supper, bring anything else in addition to the above. A big camp fire will be held on Wednesday night. Council fire will be started from a fire made by friction. Stories will be told. Get a good camp fire story. Only patrol leaders and scribes, and scouts are expected to take this hike.

TAXI DRIVER GAGGED AND ROBBED OF MONEY

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 26.—Harold Dark, taxi driver, was found gagged and tied to a tree in an outlying district here today by three men on their way to work.

He told police he had been robbed last night of his wallet containing \$27 and his automobile by four masked bandits who hired him to drive them to the country. His car was found last night abandoned on a downtown street. Dark was uninjured.

We will call for chickens. Call Ada Poultry & Egg Co. 10-4-imo

McCARTY BROS., can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 835. 116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1f

S. P. Vaden, who lives northwest of Ada, is preparing to move to Western Texas, he stated today. He and his family will leave next week and will stop at Paducah, Kentucky.

Tracy's home, police said, was in Mattoon, Illinois.

Tracy had been shot through the temple and his body apparently thrown from an automobile, police said. His watch and \$41 in cash were in his pocket.

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The announcement that some church in Ada may lift the ban on dancing would be exciting because somebody is always lifting something in Ada.

Mexico refuses to join the League Nations, which shows that she still has designs on Texas.

Some people believe that they have prepared for a rainy day when they possess a raincoat.

You can't say the war is really over until good cigars are a nickel again.

Once the college was headed by its president, now its headed by the coach.

The increasing wisdom of the modern "baby" has brought about a reduction in the sale of baby rattlers. You can't rattle these modern babies.

Apparently there is a limit to all things except the limit to the capacity of chewing gum in a flapper's face.

Perhaps they call them telephone exchange because they swap right numbers for wrong numbers.

A local shoe salesman claims that a lady customer walked around the store seven times before she could decide on which foot she wore the hose with a hole in it.

An exchange blushed with a serious typographical error. In a Thanksgiving offering, the type was made to say "Praise ye the Ford", which of course was not so much wrong in this day and time but difficult to find in the Bible.

Life is short. That's why divorcing people try to divide it among as many as possible.

The disposal of chewing gum will be the next subject to be considered by the Flapper Disarmament conference.

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Shortage of Officers, Enlisted Men and Mounts Injures Service.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—A gloomy picture of the situation in the Army Field Artillery forces was presented in the annual report of Maj. Gen. William J. Snow, chief of that branch of the Army service made public today by the War Department.

After reviewing the "unsatisfactory" conditions due to the "single" promotion list, shortage in both officer and enlisted personnel, and shortage of draft animals which threatens to immobilize the entire horse drawn field artillery "unless funds are obtained from Congress during the next session," General Snow asserted emphatically that remedies are essential if the Field Artillery is to attain the desired standard of efficiency.

During the past year, the report said, individual mounts have been reduced 20 percent due to reductions in animal strength, and caissons, rolling kitchens and other rolling equipment which normally form a part of field artillery batteries "have been left at posts in storage due to the fact that necessary animals required for drawing this equipment were not available."

"At the present time," General Snow continued, "caissons which normally require six horses are being drawn by four horses and the animal strength of Field Artillery units at the present time is only approximately 71 percent of the minimum number required under Peace Strength Tables of Organization. Unless funds are obtained from Congress during the next session, for animal replacements the Field Artillery will be forced, by reason of lack of animals due to normal casualties which are bound to occur, to further reduce the number of animals by an amount equivalent to the dismounting of two

horses."

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Yale, Whipped Four Times in Row, Has Edge on Harvard Team

The rival captains, Bill Mallory of Yale, left, and Charlie Hubbard of Harvard. Below, an interesting photo of a Yale-Harvard game of 1912. Captain Wendell of Harvard, indicated by ball, is scoring touchdown after picking up the ball, fumbled by Wheeler of Yale. Harvard won 20 to 0.

Result of the Harvard-Yale Grid Battles

1875—Harvard 4 goals, Yale 0.
1876—Yale 1 goal, Harvard 0.
1877—No game.
1878—Yale 1 goal, Harvard 0.
1879—Yale 0, Harvard 0.
1880—Yale 1 goal, 1 touchdown; Harvard 0.

1881—Yale 0, Harvard 4 safeties

1882—Yale 1 goal, 4 touchdowns; Harvard 2 safeties.

1883—Yale 23, Harvard 2.

1884—Yale 48, Harvard 0.

1885—No game.

1886—Yale 29, Harvard 4.

1887—Yale 17, Harvard 8.

1888—No game.

1889—Yale 6, Harvard 0.

1890—Harvard 12, Yale 6.

1891—Yale 10, Harvard 0.

1892—Yale 6, Harvard 0.

1893—Yale 6, Harvard 0.

1894—Yale 12, Harvard 4.

1895—No game.

1896—No game.

1898—Harvard 17, Yale 0.

1899—Harvard 0, Yale 0.

1900—Yale 28, Harvard 0.

1901—Harvard 22, Yale 0.

1902—Yale 23, Harvard 0.

1903—Yale 16, Harvard 0.

1904—Yale 12, Harvard 0.

1905—Yale 6, Harvard 0.

1907—Yale 12, Harvard 0.

1908—Harvard 4, Yale 0.

1909—Yale 8, Harvard 0.

1910—Yale 0, Harvard 0.

1911—Yale 0, Harvard 0.

1912—Harvard 20, Yale 0.

1913—Harvard 15, Yale 5.

1914—Harvard 36, Yale 0.

1915—Harvard 41, Yale 0.

1916—Yale 6, Harvard 3.

1917—No game.

1918—No game.

1919—Harvard 10, Yale 3.

1920—Harvard 9, Yale 0.

regiments of divisional artillery. While this reduction will not be concentrated the entire horse drawn Field artillery will be almost immobilized."

Referring to personnel troubles and its effect upon the Field Artillery, the report said, that after three years' trial under the Reorganization Act of 1920 "it is debatable whether the army as a whole has benefitted." It plainly stated, however, that "Individuals have benefitted."

"No one thing during the past year," said the report, "has more seriously affected the efficiency of the Field Artillery of the regular army than the shortage of enlisted personnel. To be prepared to meet the demands of a major emergency it is required that each active associate designate and train certain of its personnel in peace to form the nucleus of the inactive associates when organized. Regardless of the merits of this plan, and there is no doubt but that it has great merit, it is impracticable of efficient execution in view of the present existing shortage of personnel."

General Snow added that the morale of both officers and men on duty with the Field Artillery is high despite prevailing conditions which he explains are not to be accepted as being "wholly bad." He sums up in this way:

"While I have painted a rather gloomy picture of the personnel situation in the Field Artillery, I do not want to leave the impression that conditions are wholly bad. On the contrary, the officers, as a whole, are excellent, their spirit is fine, they are deeply interested in their profession, and they are working hard. The regular organizations are doing better than could reasonably be expected under the present trying conditions. The morale of both officers and men is high. Such handicaps as both work under, are

safeties less than its opponents and win a game, so spectators aw Yale win without scoring.

After the 1890 victory, there followed another victory, then a defeat, another victory and then a long, lean spell, while Yale triumphed six times.

No: until 1912 did Harvard get underway for a winning streak. That year and the next three it won, and in those four years gave Yale the worst trouncing the New Haven club ever suffered. The scores ran as high as 41 to 0.

Another Span Ended?

Now, after another period of our successful years, Harvard stands with its back to the wall. Hale seems to have the team which can halt the Tiger rush. True, Harvard's victory over Princeton was a surprise to Yale and Yale followers. But coming as it did on top of Yale's triumph over the Army mule, much of the psychological effect was lost.

Yale's work generally has been more impressive all season, although the Harvard team may have been playing under wraps early in the season.

Harvard has one ace which Yale must fear. He is Card Paffman, the man with the wonder toe—the gent who sits nervously on the side lines for a whole game just to go in at the right moment and score three points with a field goal. Three points look up big in any game these days. Ask Princeton, Yale must do more than break up the Crimson backfield combinations. It must smother Paffman's kicks.

That alone is some task.

Yale will go into the game a favorite. But pick your own winner.

Civilian Aviation Hurt by Quake

(By the Associated Press)

TOKIO, Nov. 26.—The recent disaster has destroyed the organization of civilian aviation in Japan, at least four concerns having announced they would close, partly on account of damages directly sustained in the earthquake, but chiefly owing to suspension of subsidies from the government. Proprietors of two of these concerns announce they will resume business as usual.

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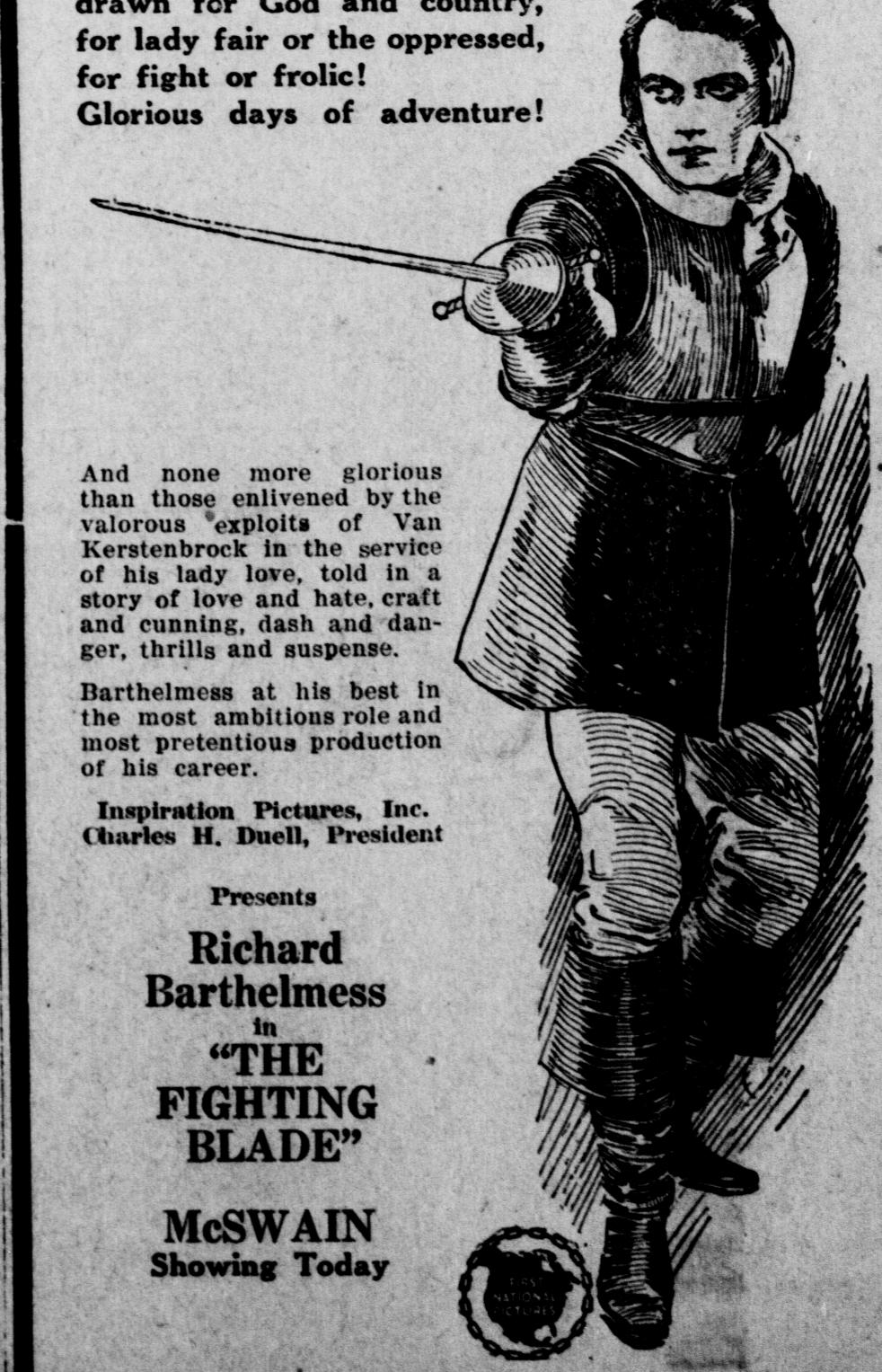


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